JOHNSON AND JEFFRIES SIGN

Articles Call for Finish Fight Not Later Than July 5, 1910.

DIVISION OF THE PURSE

Seventy-Five Per Cent Goes to the Winner—Club Making the Best Offer to Secure the Fight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Jack Johnson and James J. Jeffries—(the negro insisted that as present champion, his name should go first)—signed articles in New York late this afternoon binding them to fight forty-five rounds to a finish, not later than July 5, 1910, before the club offering the best financial inducement, the winner to take a side bet of $10,000 and seventy-five per cent of the purse, the loser to take twenty-five per cent.

The preliminary discussion was scheduled for 3 o'clock in the banquet hall of the hotel Albany. Jeffries and his manager were punctual to the minute, but Johnson elbowed his way diffidently through the crowd ten minutes later. At the table, as the men took their places, sat Jeffries, with Bob Vernon at his left and Sam Berger, his manger, at his right, Johnson, George Considine, "Honest John" Kelly, Sam Harris, Samuel Nelson, Bob Murphy and other well known sporting men.

Jeffries eyed the negro curiously, but did not meet his glance. Johnson was affable, but showed his nervousness by his frequent grins and his constant clicking of two red dice, which he carried half concealed in the palm of his right hand.

Negotiations Begin.

Both principals posed for the photographer and when the smoke of the flashlights had cleared, promptly got down to business. Jeffries let Berger do his talking, but Johnson broke in frequently on his manager with suggestions and objections, nevertheless it was remarked as the articles took form, that Jeffries was winning nearly every point for which he contended.

It was agreed without dispute that the men would box for the "heavyweight championship of the world." At this point Johnson insisted that the present champion's name should precede the retired undefeated champion's name in the written agreement. To this Jeffries quickly assented. Berger then suggested that the fight go to the club making the highest responsible bid within the next thirty days. Little agreed, but Johnson, shaking his head dubiously, asked that each bid be accompanied by a $5,000 forfeit, as a guarantee of good faith. Jeffries nodded and Berger gave his assent.

So far it had been easy sailing, but when the question of a referee was raised, the crowd edged forward expectantly. Little, for Johnson, wanted to name his choice. For the first time Jeffries broke in.

"Let the club that gets the bid have a word," he ordered. "They've got as much at stake as we have. Let it wait."

Little was for arguing the point, but Johnson was all conciliation. "Well, let it go," he urged, "that's all right."

Fight to a Finish.

The number of rounds was next in order "So far as I go," said Jeffries, "I don't care if it's six, ten, twenty or a hundred rounds; but I know what the public will demand, and I am going to see they get it—it means a finish."

At this the crowd cheered until Bob Murphy had to outroar them for order. But Johnson was not satisfied. He feared a San Francisco club, where only twenty-round bouts are allowed, might get the bid, and in that event insisted that twenty rounds should be specified.

"Then 'Frisco won't get the fight," announced Jeffries decisively. "Make it forty-five rounds or more." Swallowing his objections, previously voiced, the negro agreed volubly.

There was still the rock on which most agreements split—the division of the purse. To the surprise of the crowd both men said that they were willing to fight, winner take all, or 60 and 40 per cent, or 75 and 25 per cent, and on the latter basis it was settled.

The side bet caused more difficulty. Jeffries wanted to wager $20,000. Johnson, more cautious, offered $5,000. Little, his manager, wanted to lay the money at ring side odds, "as a business proposition." As a compromise they agreed to let the $5,000 already posted to secure today's meeting stand, with $5,000 in addition to be added forwith. Bob Murphy, manager of the Hotel Albany was chosen as temporary stakeholder, the final stakeholder to be chosen by the club.

Now only one critical point remained: "When would they fight?"

Date of the Fight.

As a finish fight had been agreed on, it was the concesus of opinion at the matchmakers table that either Nevada or California must get the winning bid. With thirty days for the bids to come in and sixty days more for the men to condition themselves in, the weather at the earliest would be too wet in California and too cold in Nevada. Both men agreed that, to accommodate the huge crowds to attend, the bout must be held out-of-doors. Berger further urged the necessity for ample training time.

And it was formally settled that a day "not later than July 5, 1910," be chosen. The deal was closed.

Again the principals posed for the flashlight men, champagne was served, while the articles were being typewritten and at 5:40 the binding signatures were affixed and witnessed.

TIGERS PROMISE FAST WORK

Missouri Coach's Request to Withdraw Negro Tackle Granted.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Cancelling yesterday's practice game scheduled with Cornell college, and saving his men from further injuries as much as possible, Coach Roper this evening drove the Missuori varsity through its last signal work preparatory to the Iowa game tomorrow. The practice was fast and snappy and it is now believed that if the Tigers brace they will be able to hold the Hawkeyes, even with injuries and a weaker front than against Ames. Only a few new plays, principally forward passes, have been added to the Missouri reportoire this week, but Roper's charges are well drilled in what they possess and expect to counter balance Iowa's superior weight with speed and perfection of play.

Injuries in the Ames and Coe contests have made Roper's task in reshaping the team all the harder this week. It is now certain that Hackney, the star dropkicker and left half, will not be able to play tomorrow. Hall will take his place and do the punting, and Bluck will be pulled back to place kick when such a play is feasible. Johnson's chest will not permit his playing and his right tackle position will be filled by E. Anderson. Shuck will replace Cove at right end, and Kilder will take the crippled Clair's fullback position.

In response to Missouri's request, Iowa has consented not to play Alexander, her big negro tackle, whose work was a feature of the recent Nebraska game. Cove, Missouri's best end, will also likely be barred on account of the ruling of the Chicago conference, under which the game was scheduled, which prohibits post-graduates to play.

The following men, with Coaches Roper and Lowman will leave here in a special for Iowa City Saturday morning: Rieline (Capt.) center; Roberts, Thatcher, A. Anderson, guards; Bluck, E. Anderson, Johnson, Oliver, tackles; Idler, Shuck, Cove, Pixlee, Thompson, ends; Klein, Saunders, quarter-backs; Alexander, Crain, Hackney, Hall, Bradley, half-backs, and Wilder and Clair, full-backs.

Betting here favors Iowa to win, 3 to 2, but a hard game is promised, with both teams likely to score.

TAKING OUT THE SUCKER FISH

Fred Evans is Doing Good Work at Carter Lake.

Fred Evans is representing the Omaha Rod and Gun club while the big seine is working at Carter lake. Permission has been obtained from the fish commissioners of Iowa and Nebraska to take out the buffalo and carp from the lake and Mr. Evans has the job of watching that all game fish are put back into the lake. About 1,000 pounds of buffalo and carp are taken from the lake each day and all bass, crappies and sun fish are thrown back. During the week when the seine has been working, 500 pounds of the dispised gar have been taken from the waters. Gar, buffalo and carp are deadly enemies of bass and crappies. They are sucker fish and live on the spawn of the game fish and thus keep down the natural increase.

The men are working with a 600 foot net.

When the four men who are operating the net first appeared, officers of the Omaha Rod and Gun club had them arrested for illegal seining. When they showed they had authority from the fish commissioners of Iowa to take out the carp and buffalo and when they consented to have a representative of the club with them at all times to see that they did not interfere with the game fish, the case was dismissed. The nets are guarded and kept at the boat house of the Omaha Rod and Gun club and never leaves the club unless Mr. Evans is along.

BELLEVUE AT HASTINGS TODAY

Bitter Rivals Will Meet in One of Warmest Games of Season.

The Bellevue college foot ball team left yesterday on its last tour of the season. It went to Hastings where it will play today.

This promises to be the hardest game of the season. Hastings has never in its history been able to beat Bellevue on the gridiron and has been working to that end for several years. Last year the Hastings-Bellevue game was the hardest Bellevue had. So far the path is clear for a championship season for Bellevue and the winning of this game will mean a great deal toward this end.

Owing to the hard game last Satusday the men are not in the best of condition, several of them having been out of the scrimmage work most of the week, but their work has developed more speed and it is hoped they will be able to play a faster game against Hastings than heretofore.

The following is the lineup: Barry, center; Curtis, R. G.; Brand, L. G.; Primrose, R. T.; Rice, L. T.; Jones, L. E.; Mohr, R. E.; Enfield, F. B.; Claybank, R. H.; Dow, L. H.; Morton, Q. B. Substitutes, Johnson, Fowler and Holmes.

DECIDING CONTEST AT IOWA CITY

Either Iowa or Missouri Will Be Eliminated from Championship.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Oct. 29—(Special.)—After many bear stories from each camp the Iowa and Missouri teams lineup today on Iowa field for one of the deciding contests in Missouri valley foot ball. Either one or the other of the two teams will be eliminated from the race. Both tied fellow members of the conference last Saturday when the Hawkeyes surprised the Cornhuskers, 6 to 6, and Missouri and Ames tied, 6 to 6. These results delayed the preliminary results until today.

The two teams will line up as follows:

IOWA.		MISSOURI.
Hyland	R.E.	L.E. Shuck
Gross (C.)	R.T.	L.T. Bluck
Hanson	R.G.	L.G. Roberts
O'Brien	C.	C. Rieline (C.)
Bell	L.G.	R.G. Thatcher
Furst	L.T.	R.T. Anderson
Hanlon	L.E.	R.E. Idler
Fee	Q.B.	Q.B. Kline
Dyer	R.H.	L.H. Hall
Collins	L.H.	R.H. Clare
Murphy	F.B.	F.B. Alexander

Officials: Referee, Masker of Northwestern; head linesman, White of Illinois; umpire, Stahl of Illinois; field judge, Poe of Princeton.

NIG PERRINE DROPS IN TOWN

Goes to British Columbia and Will Play Next Spring.

Nig Perrine, second baseman with the Rourke's part of the season until he was forced to quit with a bum knee, dropped into the Smoke House Friday morning long enough to ask after all the old guard. Inquire of Brother Dave, if he had enough cobs on hand for the winter and then scoot for British Columbia, where he has some land.

Nig reported that his knee was all well and that he would be able to report in the spring a sound man. When he inquired about the rest of the family, he found that Red Fisher was running the billard parlor at the Millard hotel, that Gonding and George Graham had gone to Grand Island to open a moving picture show, that Dr. Welch was out hunting and that Schipke was about to leave St. Louis for the Gulf of Mexico to do some hunting.

Harry Welch Gets No Ducks.

Dr. Harry Welch has returned from his hunting lodge on the historic Platte to stay in Omaha a few days. Friends of the doctor who expected that he would bring them some ducks were thoroughly dissappointed. He reports that the sun has been shining entirely too brightly for any one to expect to shoot ducks on the Platte river but that he hopes it will be stormy after election when he will get all the law allows.

DOANE WILL PLAY HARD GAME

No Hope of Winning from Nebraska Exists Among Tigers.

CRETE, Neb., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Interest in foot ball at Doans college centers now in the game with the University of Nebraska. Doane expects to make a better showing that it has made for several years, and that is all it does expect. It will be satisfied if it can hold down the score to 20 or 30 to 0. If it can score by a chance touchdown or a place kick or a lucky forward pass is will greatly rejoice.

All depends on what players the university sends into the game. If "King" Cole tries out his substitutes he will find the Doane team aggresive and not easy to beat. But he will probably put in his best men at first to run up a good score before he calls on the substitutes.

Doane is not at present in prime condition. No one is strictly on the hospital list, but several limp and hence the team is not quite as fast as it was a week or two ago, but Doane has so many players this year that good substitutes are easily found for the veterans. Two full teams practice every night in scrimmages and enought players for two other teams engage in simple practice or stand ready to get into the game if chance offers. "Cody" Clark is determined to find the best team among the players and pays no attention to tradition or previous records or the methods of former coaches. He is coach now and he has no favorites. He has been shifting men about and trying new men in different positions. He is holding Luke at center, trying Bronson, Sawyer and Horning at guard, is about settled on Arnold and Perry at tackle, is experimenting with Hartwell, Tully, Mickle, D. Griffiths and Enlow as ends, and has two well developed back fields, for first: Wilkingson, quarter; Dutch or Enlow and Holbert for half backs and Wildhaber for full back; for second: Cowan, quarter; R. Dickinson and Wendland, full back, and Korsb, full back.

Probably forty or fifty students will accompany the team to Lincoln and, as Doane has many friends and graduates there, there will be a respectable rooting squad to cheer on the Doane players as they strive to play a better game than they have done for several years.

PSYCHOLOGY OF RIGHT TRAINING

Coach Griffith Will Not Have Nerves of Men Wrought Up.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—"Psychology." This is the simple answer given by Coach John C. Griffith for not having his team appear at a big student mass meeting of the Iowa students tonight to stir up enthusiasm over the Iowa-Missouri contest tomorrow.

Coach Griffith fears that the men's nerves, stirred by the cheering in the auditorium, will suffer a reaction before the game, that it will disturb their rest that night, and that it often creates too much confidence in their ability.

This year Griffith has started an innovation into Iowa training history. On the day before the game he insists that the men think of everything with the exception of foot ball. Anything connected with the gridiron is a "tabooed" subject on Fridays. Complete rest and recreation does more for a team is the theory of the Hawkeye coach and his first test of the new theory last week worked wonders with the men. Heavy signal practice with the regular lineup working marked last night's practice. The team will be in fair condition tomorrow.

WITH THE BOWLERS.

At last the Omaha Bedding Co. found a team that could stop them. The Dreshers took two games total pins. Goff shot high single and Chandler high total. Tonight the Advos vs. Hospe Co. Score:

DRESHERS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Dudley	181	177	192	550
West	137	169	189	495
Jensen	150	171	180	501
Goff	154	159	232	545
Frush	156	159	182	497
Totals	778	835	975	2,588

OMAHA BEDDING CO.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Chandler	188	180	199	567
Johnson	166	152	188	506
Warts	137	159	180	476
Tracy	180	178	171	529
Sherwood	176	150	170	496
Totals	847	819	908	2,574

In the Booster league last night Yousem's Colts rolled the best game of the season, getting three nice 800 games for a total of 2,533 and winning three game from the Peoples store, "Brill" Bengele was hign with 540. Tonight Union Pacific vs. Signal Corps. Score:

PEOPLES STORE.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Abbott	149	147	147	443
Aldrich	188	152	160	499
Howard	171	162	139	472
East	142	161	191	494
Bengele	171	191	178	540
Totals	821	793	815	2,429

YOUSEM'S COLTS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Rice	152	146	148	476
Falconer	169	181	174	534
Bruggeman	142	168	202	512
Fagan	194	150	170	514
Yousem	187	185	165	507
Totals	844	830	859	2,533

Beselin's Mixers won three games from the Parkey Autos last night on the basement alleys, W. Schneider had high totals with 556 and Beselin high single game with 201. Tonight Maney's Sunkist and Holleys. Score:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.
Beselin	150	201	166	517
R. A. Schneider	155	132	168	455
W. Schneider	177	200	179	556
Totals	482	533	513	1,528

PARKEY'S AUTOS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.
Parkey	139	135	133	407
Morton	139	177	175	491
Patterson	154	188	154	496
Totals	432	500	462	1,394

The Parkey Autos won three games from the Hussle's Acorns on the basement alleys last night. Patterson had all high honors for the evening with 554 for totals and 199 for single game.

Tonight the Hollys vs. Maney's Sunkist. Score:

PARKEY AUTOS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.
Morton	144	...	...	144
Simmonds	131	177	144	452
Patterson	182	173	199	554
Parkey	..	119	144	263
Totals	457	469	487	1,413

HUSSIE'S ACORNS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.
Ritchie	159	113	168	440
Haster	126	191	135	452
Pollock	167	121	150	438
Totals	452	425	453	1,330

NOW FOR THE OLD RIVALS

Creighton and Highland Park Itch to Win at Vinton Street.

Creighton athletes are all ready for the annual battle with Highland Park today at Vinton street park. Great rivalry has existed between these teams since Williams left Highland Park to coach Creighton some years ago and the Iowa lads would sooner beat Creighton than any team on the schedule.

Coach Schneider is not looking for a snap when he meets Highland Park Saturday. He has been giving his men the hardest kind of work during the last two weeks in anticipation of the game with the Iowans Saturday and the Kansas Aggies next Saturday. No game was played by Creighton last Saturday, because of an unexpected cancellation by the Boulder (Colo.) team.

Murphy Comes to Time.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 29.—After a short session today, during which the $500 fine imposed by the National base ball commission was agreed to remain intact, President Charles W. Murphy of the Chicago National club and Chairman August Herman of the National base ball commission ended their differences and managerial abrasions and shook hands. Murphy also agreed to pay $1,500 for player Cole of the Bay City club, as a direct purchase instead of $300 on a draft.

Y. M. C. A. Sprinter Fast.

Ralph Mason of the Young Men's Christian Association Cross-Country Running club did some fast work Thursday evening. He ran from the Young Men's Christian association building to Twentieth and Ames avenues and back in forty-eight minutes. The distance is 102 blocks, or in the neighborhood of eight miles.

King Remembers Maher.

NEWMARKET, Oct. 29.—Today King Edward presented "Danny" Maher, the American jockey, with a beautiful jeweled scarf pin in recognition of the jockey's success in winning the Free handicap sweep stakes yesterday with his majesty's Minoru.

TRIPLE AUTO RACES SATURDAY

Vanderbilt, Massapequa and Wheatley Trophies Hung Up.

GARDEN CITY, L. I., Oct. 29.—The twenty-six cars entered in the triple automobile race to be run over the Vanderbilt cup course for the Vanderbilt, Massapequa and Wheatley Hills trophies, were weighed in here today by Fred J. Wagner, the veteran race umpire and starter.

The cars are divided into four classes and are to race all together, but for three different distances. The smaller cars, entered for the Massapequa sweepstakes, weighed in at 1,500 pounds and over. The cars in this class will be sent away first at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and will be called upon to make ten rounds of the circuit, or 128.40 miles.

The cars in the next class, the Wheatley Hills sweepstakes, will be started immediately on the heels of the Massapequa entries, but will continue on the circuit for an additional five rounds, covering fifteen laps, or 189.60 miles in all. These cars were called upon to exceed 1,800 pounds in weight.

The third squadron to be sent away is the one in which the chief interest of the motoring public centers. This company is made up of the sixteen high-powered cars which are contenders for the Vanderbilt cup. These care will be called upon to cover twenty-two turns of the circuit, or 278.08 miles. There are two subdivisions in this class, the first weighing in at 2,400 pounds and over and the second at 2,100 pounds or more.

Preliminary to the weighing in, twenty-one of the twenty-six cars took final spins on the course.

REULBACH GOES TO NEW YORK

Giants Secure Him in Exchange for Wiltse.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—It was unofficialy announced here tonight that Edward F. Reulbach, one of the star pitchers of the Chicago Nationals, has been secured by Manager McGraw of the New York National league team, for the campaign of 1910. The addition of Reulbach to the Giants' squad of twirlers is said to be a part of the deal whereby New York trades Pitcher Wiltse and a substantial check to the Chicago Nationals for Reulbach and Johnny Kling, the catcher who refused to play with Chicago last season.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 29.—"I'm not in on the deal," said Johnny Kling, the former catcher of the Chicago National Base Ball club, when asked today as to the report that Manager McGraw of the New York Nationals had arranged to trade Pitcher George Wiltse and $5,000 to the Chicago club for him. "McGraw has not mentioned the matter to me," he continued, "and I hardly think President Murphy would want to trade me to his old rivals."

SCHOOL OF MINES HOLDS TO DATE

Creighton Wants Game Switched to Omaha.

RAPID CITY, S. D., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Manager Walker of the Creighton College foot ball team wired Manager Willard of the School of Mines team tonight, asking that the game scheduled to be played here Thanksgiving day be cancelled. Instead Manager Walker offered the Miners a big bonus to come to Omaha. A meeting of the directors of the athletic association was called and it was voted not to cancel the game for the reason that merchants and business men are liberal subscribers to the support of the School of Mines team and the managemeat feel that they are entitled to witness one big game during the season.

The School of Mines team leaves on an eastern trip tomorrow playing Huron Monday.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM WEAKENED

Three Men Will Be Out of Saturday's Game at Shenandoah.

Omaha High school will not send quite as strong a team to Shenandoah, Ia., as played South Omaha last Saturday as McWhinney, Thompson, and Mill are out of the game for various reasons. The lineup for Saturday is as follows: R. E., Howard; R. T., Andrus; R. G., Rayley; C., Tukey; L. G., Hendee; L. T., Rector; L. E., Payne; Q. B., Klopp; LH. B., Howes; F. B., Underhill; RH. B., Bowman. Substitutes, Hatch and Charlton.

Grinnell Works by Moonlight.

GRINNELL, Ia., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—The unique spectacle of a foot fall squad running through formations by moonlight is presented nightly at Ward field this week, where Coach Dougherty is putting the last touches on the Grinnell college gridiron machine in preparation for the struggle with Drake at Haskins' stadium, Des Moines, Saturday. There is no denying the fact that the scarlet and black aggregation is poor on defensive foot ball, and if their work in the "dress rehearsals" of the past fortnight are any criterion they are due for a beating at the hands of their ancient rivals of the blue and white camp. Little hope is expressed or felt of a victory, but despite the discouragement a large crowd of loyal supporters will accompany the team in its trip to the capital city.

Omaha Second High to Play.

The second foot ball team of the Omaha High school goes to Springfield, today to play the High school foot ball team of that town. The Omaha team is light but hopes to make a good showing.

POLICE SEEK IDENTITY OF NEW VARIETY OF "JOY" JUICE

Two Men Are Arrested for Exceeding Speed Limit with Peculiar Beverage.

The police are looking for a new kind of liquor, not for their own consumption, however, but to discover the cause of a peculiarly destructive variety of that famous affliction know as "jag."

Twe men have been arrested in states of intoxication far beyond the humble powers of ordinary "white mule or tiger's milk," as that justly famous beverage, made of water and proof spirits, is known.

Harry Michaels is lodged in jail because he tried to uproot his family rooftree. He walked into his domicile early Thursday morning and started a battle against his wife and children. They fled to the home of a neighbor, where they remained in refuge until the police took the bellicose husband by sheer force of numbers. Michaels is in jail and will probably recover in time for police court.

Charles Larson, a slender youth with lovely, long, curly hair like a Missouri halfback, stood before Judge Crawford as the terrible example of this unknown beverage's most direful effects. Charles surrounded the City hotel Wednesday in a state of animated aggressiveness. He entered through a window disdaining the formality of doors. As the jingle of crashing plate glass died away he started to clear the office. He did.

Officer Lesch arrested Larson. The fine was $5 and costs. Larson says he is a hardworking citizen. He was attired in a musical comedy costume of jaunty yachting cap, soft shirt, a flaming carmen tie and corduroys.

WAIST MAKERS MAY STRIKE

Forty-Two Thousand Operatives in New York Demand More Pay and Recognition of Union.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Action taken at a mass meeting of the Ladies' Waist Makers' union tonight strongly foreshadows a probable strike of 42,000 operatives within the next few days, unless the employers accede to the demands of the workers. The union is asking recognition and a 10 per cent increase in wages. The employers have submitted a compromise offer of 15 per cent increase without recognition, but this the mass meeting rejected tonight.

Making War on Squirrels.

WYMORE, Neb., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—The open season on squirrels is being made the most of by farmers and others in this vicinity. The animals have become so numerous that they are doing considerable damage in corn fields. One farmer living two miles west of town on Indian creek says that he has killed sixty-four squirrels at one of his corn cribs, since the season opened, and that they appear to be as thick as ever, yet.

Eight Hundred Speakers Busy in New York City

Bannard Tells Number of Audiences He is Not an Advocate of Disregard of Law.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—With New York's municipal election only three working days distant, there was a general summing up of issues tonight by the 800 speakers who presented the causes of Gaynor, Bannard and Hearst to audiences in every corner of Greater New York. Gaynor, speaking four times to audiences in Brooklyn, Manhattan and the Bronx, returned to his plea for greater personal liberty, the abolition of police "czarship" and liberality in the enforcement of minor laws.

Bannard, the republican candidate, told seven mass meetings in New York and Brooklyn that he stood "first, last and all the time for a business administration in a Tammany-free city." Incidentally, however, the republican candidate took up the cudgels with Mr. Gaynor on the personal liberty question. "I do not come before you to recommend the violation of laws or to countenance the violation of laws, and if personal liberty means any such thing as the overriding of law, I am firm against that. I am no crank and I stand for no oppression or refinement of puritanism. If I am elected mayor, I want it understood that people of all creeds, races, colors or political beliefs must alike observe the laws—but that these will be enforced not oppressively, but with sympathy and toleration.

"Beware the candidate who tells you that he will not enforce the laws. He is a dangerous demagogue, and his position in this matter is bound to lead to graft of the worst and most widespread character."

Hearst, the third candidate for the mayoralty, was silent tonight, but his followers, in ten mass meetings, kept the fires burning. At each meeting a long banner which hung above the stage, bearing the words, "down with the bosses of both parties," furnished the text for the speakers.

The campaign managers for all three candidates again expressed their confidence today in the result of the election. There was evidence, however, that the leaders believe that the race is closer than their forecasts would indicate. In all three camps it was announced that the speech-making and campaigning would continue practically up to the opening of the polls at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Senator Burkett Talks of Women

Gives Address at Methodist Church on "New Woman and the Young Man."

"The new woman does not live alone today; she lived yesterday, she lives today and will live tomorrow," said Elmer J. Burkett, senior senator from Nebraska at the Hanscom park Methodist church where he was introduced by former Senator J. H. Millard, whose guest he was while in Omaha.

The subject chosen by the senator was the "New Woman and the Young Man." He said that the new woman is not the woman who works about the farm in her father's overalls or sits on the fence and whistles at passersby or wears the divided gowns of the effete east.

"My young woman of whom I will speak tonight is the young woman of all ages; the young woman who is in advance of her time; the American woman who has been the helpmeet of the pioneer and who has helped man develop the frontier," he continued.

"I would speak of the woman who has inspired man to deeds of heroism, who has been his inspiration while in battle, the bright and lovable woman of modern times.

I would speak of the educated woman who is not an innovation of the present but who has been coming into her proper sphere for the last hundred years."

The senator then told of the wonderful growth and development of this country and ended by saying that woman was responsible for more than half of that growth and development during the last fifty years.

"The young man and the young woman of this country have gone hand in hand, each respecting the other and this magnificent country is the result."

MRS. STURGES GETS DIVORCE

Was Wife of Man Who Shot Her Escort Sunday Evening.

Mrs. Mary K. Sturges, whose husband, Arthur H. Sturges, shot and seriously wounded N. H. Kassal in Omaha last Sunday night, was granted a divorce by Judge Woodruff in the district court in Council Bluffs yesterday. Mrs. Sturges based her suit on charges of cruel and inhuman treatment and habitual drunkenness. They were married in Lincoln, Neb., just one year ago yesterday. The petition for divorce was filed August 17 of this year. Mrs. Sturges before her marriage was Miss Mamie Kelley of Council Bluffs.

MURDER, BIGAMY AND FORGERY

Artilleryman at Fort D. A. Russell Arrested on These Three Charges.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 29.—J. A. Williamson, private in the Fourth Field artillery at Fort D. A. Russell, under the name of Shaw, has been taken to Virginia to answer charges of bigamy, wife murder and forgery. He has been sought for the last two years. It is charged that he poisoned his wife in Virginia when she accused him of being married to a 15-year-old girl in Kentucky. He enlisted in Kentucky under the name of a former employer.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE

One Man Killed and One Badly Hurt in Grade Crossing Accident Near Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 29.—Harry Toley, chauffeur, aged 35 years, was killed outright and Dr. R. F. McGrew of Carnegie was probably fatally injured late tonight when a Pennsylvania passenger train, west-bound, struck the automobile in which the two men were riding and threw them over fifty feet into a ditch by the side of the railway tracks.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HAYES

Ashes of Daughter of the Confederacy to Be Buried in Richmond, Va., Today.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 29.—The ashes of Mrs. Margaret Howell Jefferson Davis Hayes, daughter of the confederacy, arrived here from Colorado Springs, Colo., this afternoon and were taken immediately to St. Paul's Episcopal church, where they will remain until tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, the hour set for the funeral. All the ceremonies connected with the funeral will be as simple as possible. The interment will be in the Davis plot in Hollywood cemetery.

DEMANDS MONEY BY MAIL

Garnett, Kan., Teacher Arrested on Charge of Sending Letter to Millionaire.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 29.—Thaddeus Wilson, 22 years old, a school teacher of Garnett, Kan., was arrested here tonight, charged with sending two letters to R. A. Long, a millionaire lumber dealer, demanding $5,000.

The letters contained no threats, but said the writer needed the money badly and asked that Mr. Long mail it to him. The letters were signed "O. B. Vandeller."

Mr. Long informed the police and mailed a decoy missive to "Vandeller." Wilson called for the mail and was arrested.

SOMETHING OF "GOOD OLD TIMES"

Johnson County Man Recalls Some History.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Wednesday, October 27, was the 72d anniversary of the birth of "Uncle" Cyru Graff of Tecumseh, and on that occasion his son, John F. Graff, and wife, who live south of the city, gave a dinner to his parents and a few relatives. It was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Graff is a native of Pennsylvania, having been born near Pittsburg. While in a reminiscent mood, the gentleman made some interesting comparisons of conditions in Pennsylvania in the '40s, '50s and '60s, as compared with those in Nebraska at the present time. Strong, able-bodied men worked on the streets and in the mines in that state in those times at from 25 to 50 cents per day and board, and labor was plentiful. Good kitchen girls and other domestics commanded the "princely" wages of from 25 to 50 cents per week and board and worked early and late. Top wages for farm hands were $10 per month and board, and many received as little as $4 and $5 per month, with plenty of hands. Of course the necessities of life were much cheaper then than now, but, all told, the conditions were no where as near prosperous.

Mr. Graff talked especially interesting of bers, that of 1844, or the Polk-Clay contest. He also gave some good ideas of the housekeeping at that time, when the cooking was all done in fireplaces; and of the different kinds of labor as it was then accomplished.

If you have anything to sell or trade and want quick action, advertise it in The Bee Want Ad columns.

Dining in the Dining Car.

"Seventy cents is the average price paid for a meal on a dining car." This statement was made by F. M. Dow of the Illinois Central railroad, secretary of the American Association of Dining Car Superintendents, at their annual convention. "The table d'hote system of meals is dying out among the railroads," added Mr. Dow. "The a la carte meal is better suited to the wants of more people. Railroad station lunch counters, once so much talked about, also are tending to become extinct, for people have found they can depend on the dining car service. But no railroad makes money directly from its dining cars."—New York Tribune.

Judge Lurton Mentioned for the Supreme Bench

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The vacancy on the bench of the supreme court of the United States caused by the death of Associate Justice Rufus W. Peckham of New York is the subject of most of the gossip in Washington just now. It is, popularly speaking, the most important matter which will confront President Taft upon his return to the national capital.

The latest "frame-up" of well-informed prophets here tonight names Horace H. Lurton of Nashville, judge of the United States circuit court in the Sixth circuit, as most probably Justice Peckham's successor, with Solicitor General Lloyd W. Bowers of the Department of Justice as the probability for the next vacancy in the court. Mr. Bowers is thought by many to stand a very good chance of getting this one.

Judge Lurton sat on the same judicial bench with Mr. Taft and was the latter's choice for the vacancy that was later filled by the appointment of William H. Moody of Massachusetts. Mr. Taft was secretary of war when he made the recommendation of Mr. Lurton to President Roosevelt, and was, it is said, very much disappointed when his old associate and intimate friend was not appointed. Mr. Lurton is now about 62 years old and would have ten years to serve before retirement.

President Taft has in the past expressed some decided views about geographical limitations in appointments to that body. He has taken the position that it is a question of fitness and of strength of personnel rather than of states and circuits and politics; that geographical considerations should figure only when all other things are equal. This is his present attitude as described by those who have been in a position to know.

Looked at from the geographical standpoint, there are some inequalities in representation on the supreme court. Judge Peckham's death leaves three of the judicial circuits unrepresented on the supreme court—the second circuit comprising New York, Connecticut and Vermont; the third circuit comprising Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware and the fourth circuit comprising Maryland, Virginia and the Carolinas and West Virginia. Both Justices Moody and Holmes are from the first circuit and Justices Day and Harlan from the sixth, in which Judge Lurton is now presiding. Chief Justice Fuller is from the seventh circuit, Justice Brewer from the eighth and Justice McKenna from the ninth.

Solicitor General Bowers is generally given second place in the speculation. He is a former general counsel of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, has had wide experience as a counsellor and lawyer, is well known personally to the president and some of the most prominent men in the country, ranks next to the attorney general and he has charge of the government's cases before the supreme court. There are many other names mentioned in connection with the vacancies but these two, in the order named, are the ones most prominently mentioned in the gossip in well informed circles tonight.

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The mail which comes to the United Doctors, those great medical specialists who have their Omaha institute at 206 Neville block, is perhaps the most interesting and wholly pleasant stack of letters that comes to any address in the city. The United Doctors' mail consists almost wholly of letters of praise and commendation from cured patients, or patients who are getting well and write to tell how much better they are feeling. It contains letters from women, letters from men, letters from fathers, mothers, business men, farmers, lawyers and from persons of all ages and all walks in life. But the theme is always the same—"I am so much better"—"God bless you, doctors"—"You saved my life and made it worth living."

One reason why the United Doctors always cure their patients is that they are very careful to never treat an incurable case—thus their record of cures is always clear and they take no money from incurables as is the custom of many doctors. The new treatment used by these specialists cures many who could not even be helped by ordinary drugs. A fair sample of the hundreds of testimonials received by the United Doctors is the following:

Decatur, Ill., July 10, 1909.

Dear Doctors: About three months ago I came to you after having treated with numerous other physicians without results. I had been ailing off and on for about ten years and it seemed as though the other doctors could not tell exactly what was the matter with me. I had pain in my back which were very severe and my stomach and intestines were in such a bad shape that it was almost unbearable at times.

You examined me and told me that you could cure me and today I feel better than I have for the last ten years, and am again a well woman. I think that any one who is ailing and in the condition I was should consult you because you told me the truth and your charge and treatment was reasonable and perfectly satisfactory in every respect.

I will be only too glad to answer any personal letters or inquiries pertaining to my health because I want everyone to know how thankful I am and where they can get their health after giving up all hope. Mrs. L. P. Barnes, R. F. D. 6.

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